

Maui Policemen Catch Slippery Crook On Beach

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under as many as five different names in the brief time he has been on the islands. He came to Maui as "A. D. Allen," but he was known in Honolulu as Major Spalding, Major Baldwin, Dr. Boten. He told Sheriff Clem Crowell on Monday that his real name is William Harold Baldwin, and that his home is near New York city. He carried pictures of himself in the uniform of a major of the medical corps, U. S. Army, and claimed that he was a physician and had until recently been connected with the army.

Rapid Pace In Honolulu
According to the Honolulu papers, he traveled at a swift clip during the brief time he was in that city. He went to live at the Roselawn hotel, made up a large around-the-island party and had "forgotten" his purse, so that other members of the party had to foot the bills. He later is reported to have passed a lot of phoney checks aggregating some \$500, stinging a number of army men. He then decided to quit Honolulu, so accordingly he boarded the Kinau, about to leave for Kauai, a week ago last Monday; declared he had got on the wrong boat and by means of a launch he managed to board the Claudine for Maui after the latter vessel was out in the stream.

Joins An Opium Raid
He met a man named Charles A. Salter, said to be a customs house officer, on board the Claudine, and on Tuesday he helped the latter make a raid on a Chinese store in Kahului where a quantity of opium was found. The Chinaman was not arrested and Salter returned to Honolulu the following day.

Baldwin, or Allen, as he was known on Maui, stopped at the Grand Hotel, and by flashing a handful of gold gave the impression that he was a millionaire of some kind out for his health. He dropped mysterious hints, however, that he was on "government business," the nature of which he failed to make clear.

Arrested In Hilo
After leaving Maui on Wednesday, he was promptly arrested as he stepped ashore at Hilo on information from Honolulu, and was started back for Honolulu on Friday in charge of Police Officer Tucker. When the Mauna Kea reached Lahaina about midnight last Friday night, Allen climbed into one of the shore boats and hid in a cubby-hole under the platform where the steersman stands before the boat was lowered. The police officer, failed to miss him. At the wharf his unexpected appearance caused him to be taken in custody by a Lahaina police officer, but he was released a little later when he was recognized by several persons as having been on Maui a few days before.

Before Officer Tucker missed his charge and got ashore, Allen had taken an automobile and started for Wailuku, where the police were waiting and again took him into custody. He asked to telephone to Sheriff Crowell, and when this was permitted did it something like this:

Fooled The Police
"Hello, Sheriff Crowell? Say, Sheriff, won't it be all right for me to stay at the Grand Hotel tonight? It's all a mistake and I don't want to get away and couldn't if I did. I'll be back at 9 o'clock in the morning? Thanks, Sheriff, that's fine. Sorry to have troubled you. Good-night."

And then he coolly walked past the jailer and Officer Coelho, who had in charge, climbed into a waiting auto mobile and disappeared, before Crowell, who had very flatly refused his request, could get connection with the police station again.

After leaving the police station Allen got out at the Grand Hotel, circled through the yard, and later walked to Kahului, in hope of catching a boat. He hid during Saturday in a beach cottage used at times by school teachers, east of Kahului.

Boys Give The Clue
On Sunday Allen accosted two boys on the beach—Asa Baldwin, son of F. F. Baldwin, and Dwight Baldwin, his cousin, and made so many inquiries concerning the sailing of boats the occupants of houses along the beach, etc., that the boys became suspicious and reported the matter to Mr. Baldwin, who in turn notified Sheriff Crowell. The latter, with three posses was soon on the ground, and in a short time, aided by some good scouting on the part of the Baldwin boys, Allen was cornered and gave up in flood of tears.

Threatened Suicide
The prisoner tried to hide a pocket knife from the Sheriff at the police station, and only surrendered it after a struggle. He was put under a strict guard, and during the night was caught going through the motions of hanging himself with his neck-tie to the bars of his cell.

The next morning he was in better spirits. He told Sheriff Crowell that the army life had been his undoing, but that he had a wife and two children, but that it was a woman who had got him into trouble and caused him to come to the islands. He said that she is now in Honolulu, having come several weeks ahead of him.

THOSE WHO TRAVEL

Departed

By Mauna Kea, March 7.—E. L. Morton, Y. Kunitaka, M. Uyeno, S. A. Baldwin, Y. Ikeda, T. Sakai, G. M. Canario, A. Grounds, H. W. Kemp, Ben Hollinger, T. Sumida, A. Kutsunai, J. P. Cockett, Mrs. Hatanaga, M. Muira, Jack Menashe.

The movement of drifting ice in the far north is about two miles a day.

Foreign School Bill Introduced In House

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school shall pursue a course of study of such school the ideals calculated to inculcate in the pupils and principles of the form of government and, as far as practicable, having regard to the age and mental capacity of such pupils, included in such course of study shall be American history, economics, geography and literature.

"Section 4. The department of public instruction shall have power to determine the text books to be used by such foreign language schools, and no text book shall be used by such schools until the same has been approved and its use authorized by the department of public instruction, and no such approval and authorization shall be given where it appears that such text book is calculated to extol or exploit the ideals or principles of a government foreign to the government of the United States, or is not, for other causes, suitable for the training of youths for American citizenship.

"Section 5. The department of public instruction shall not issue a license to a foreign language school where the school hours of such school precede the school hours of the public schools, in their daily sessions, except where in the opinion of the department of public instruction it is for the benefit of the students so to do.

"Section 6. Any foreign language school, complying with the requirements and conditions in this act set forth, shall be entitled upon application to the department of public instruction and proof compliance with the provisions of this act, to a license to conduct such school. Such license may be revoked by the department of public instruction at any time upon the failure of such school to adhere to the course of study and hours of schooling in this act provided; or upon proof that such school is a menace to the health and safety of the community.

"Section 7. It shall be the duty of the department of public instruction to appoint not less than three inspectors, one of whom shall be a Japanese, one a Chinese and one a Korean who shall be known as inspectors of foreign language schools, and it shall be the duty of such inspectors respectively according to their nationality, to inspect such schools and to report thereon to the department of public instruction, as may be required by it under rules and regulations it may make, as to the observance by such foreign language schools of the course of study and hours of schooling herein provided. The salaries and expenses of such inspectors shall be paid out of the regular appropriation of the department of public instruction.

"Section 8. Any person, association or institution that shall conduct a foreign language school, and any person who shall instruct in such school, where a license has not been first had and obtained as in this act provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof may be fined not exceeding \$500 or by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

German Officer Asks Justice For Germans

AMSTERDAM, February 17—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—"It is the right of our enemies to punish those responsible if there are men on the German side who are to blame for this war," declared Field Marshal von Buelow, retired, in an interview with the Berlin correspondent of the Handelsblad.

Von Buelow commanded the Second German Army in 1914, was engaged in the fighting near Maubeuge and was retired in 1915 owing to a paralytic stroke from which he has not yet quite recovered.

"As an old soldier I have not learned to ask for mercy," continued the Field Marshal. "I only ask for justice for the German people. We soldiers went out to fight by the Kaiser's orders because the government said the country was in danger. It was not our task as soldiers to investigate. If we had been told the truth our duty was merely to obey. If the German people were misled when they were told that they were assailed by a superior number of enemies, then may a curse be on those who, by false dealings, made three-quarters of mankind the enemies of a great peace-loving people. If there are wretches who deceived us when they said we were attacked, then they deserve the severest punishment, whoever they may be.

"But to destroy a great nation because it is misled by a few people is to sin against the spirit of human justice."

The Field Marshal, who is one of the founders of the society called The German Society for Civic Education, declared that Germany was now in the throes of a moral revolution. The materialistic philosophy, he said, would give way to a new one which would be crowned by the victory of the social idea.

"The one aim of the German Society for Civic Education," he said "is to bring the German people back to the religion of human love. We ask all the intellectual and moral leaders of the world to join us in forming an international community. It was the materialistic and mechanical conception of the world which ruined Germany. It will also destroy our enemies if they do not see that it is the spirit of the citizens which constructs a State."

Fools often succeed in butting in where angels would be booted out.

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SAYS WELSH RIOTS EXAGGERATED

(By The Associated Press)

LONDON, March 8—General Colquhoun, speaking regarding the Canadian rioting in Wales said that officers were treated courteously. "I went among the men freely and some even dropped loot to salute me," he said. He declared that the reported damage was exaggerated. One man who waved a red flag, attempting to introduce Bolshevism, was shot.

ARMY OF HALF MILLION TO BE MAINTAINED

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 8—Gen. March announced today that the army is not to be reduced below the limit fixed in the not-passed reorganization bill. A total of 509,909 will be maintained until some law is passed providing for a permanent force.

Troops actually participating in engagements against the enemy totaled 2,390,000 of which 1,361,000 have been demobilized. Demobilization camps have been reduced from 33 to 23.

SAYS GERMANS STILL CONTROL RUSSIA

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 8—U. S. Ambassador Francis, of Russia, testified before the Senate committee investigating lawless propaganda, declared the war had not broken German control of Russian industries.

He said that without a doubt Lenin is a German agent. Lenin is also the brains of the Bolsheviks, he declared, while Trotsky is but an adventurer, dominated by Lenin. Both are usurpers and do not represent over 10 percent of the Russian people. He stated that Kersky made the fatal mistake of not arresting Lenin and Trotsky on charge of treason.

NAME OF PROBABLE NEW AMBASSADOR

(By The Associated Press)

LONDON, March 8—Herbert Albert Laurens Fisher, minister of education, will possibly be appointed new British ambassador to the United States according to the Nation.

LATEST AMERICAN CASUALTY TOTAL

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 8—Battle casualties of Americans in France, by a revised record, Gen. March announces, totaled 240,197, and include killed in action, wounded, missing in action, and prisoners.


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